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**UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN-PARKSIDE**

**ONLINE DEGREE COMPLETION IN SOCIOLOGY**

**PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS**

**2018-19**

**Requirements for Admission to the Sociology Online Degree Completion Program**

1. A minimum of 45 to 60 college credits

2. Completion of the UW-Parkside skills requirement in English (**MATH 111/102 requirement must be met at the time of graduation**)

3. Foreign Language requirement (**must be met at the time of graduation**)

4. Completion of SOCA 101, Introduction to Sociology (or SOCA 100, Introduction to Anthropology)

5. Completion of the UW-Parkside General Education requirements (students who have fewer than 5 General Education courses left to take may be considered for admission.)

6. A minimum 2.25 GPA overall

Department Requirements for Graduation:

# CORE COURSES – 21 CREDITS

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| **DEPT** | **COURSE #** | **COURSE** | **PREREQUISITE** | **CREDITS** | **FREQUENCY ONLINE** |
| SOCA | 101 | Introduction to Sociology |  | 3 | Fall, Spring |
| SOCA | 248 | Report Writing for the Social Sciences | SOCA 100 or 101; ENGL 101 with grade of C+ or better | 3 | Spring |
| SOCA | 250 | Statistics for the Social Sciences | MATH 102 or MATH 111 | 4 | Fall |
| SOCA | 295 | Social Science Research Methods | SOCA 100 or 101; Sophomore standing | 2 | Fall |
| SOCA | 300/303/  307 | Topics in Data Collection/Analysis  OR Program Evaluation OR Survey Methods | SOCA 295. (May be taken concurrently.) | 3 | Fall |
| SOCA | 301 | Intro to Sociological Theory | SOCA 100 or 101; Junior standing | 3 | Fall, Spring |
| SOCA | 495 | Senior Seminar | SOCA 295; SOCA 301 or 302; Senior standing | 3 | Spring |

**ELECTIVE COURSES – 18 CREDITS**

## Complete at least 1 course from each of the 4 content areas.

Each class can count for only 1 area.

One SOCA Elective or one OTHER Elective must satisfy the DV Requirement

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| **Content Area 1: Criminology and Deviance** | | **Frequency Online** | **Prerequisites** | | |
| SOCA 320: Sociological Social Psychology | | Fall | SOCA 100 or SOCA 101;  3 additional credits in sociology | | |
| SOCA 331, Deviant Behavior | | Fall, Spring | SOCA 100 or SOCA 101; Junior standing | | |
| SOCA 332: Sociology of Mental Illness | | Spring | SOCA 100 or SOCA 101; Junior standing | | |
| **Content Area 2: Family and Human Services** | | **Frequency Online** | **Prerequisites** | | |
| SOCA 319: Death and Dying | | Spring | SOCA 100 or SOCA 101 | | |
| SOCA 326: Social Gerontology | | Fall | SOCA 100 or SOCA 101; Junior standing | | |
| SOCA 332: Sociology of Mental Illness | | Spring | SOCA 100 or SOCA 101; Junior standing | | |
| SOCA 354: Class, Status, and Power | | Fall | SOCA 100 or SOCA 101 | | |
| SOCA 376: Public Health | | Spring | SOCA 100 or SOCA 101 | | |
| **Content Area 3: Race and Ethnic Relations** | **Frequency Online** | | | **Prerequisites** |
| SOCA 325: Comparative Race and Ethnic Relations\* | Fall | | | SOCA 100 or SOCA 101 |
| SOCA 323: Institutional Racism in America\* | Spring | | | SOCA 100 or SOCA 101 |
| SOCA 354: Class, Status, and Power | Fall | | | SOCA 100 or SOCA 101 |
| \* Satisfies the DV Requirement | | | | |
| **Content Area 4: Urban Institutions and the Occupational World** | **Frequency Online** | | | **Prerequisites** |
| SOCA 319: Death and Dying | Spring | | | SOCA 100 or SOCA 101 |
| SOCA 321: Religion and Society | Fall | | | SOCA 100 or SOCA 101 |
| SOCA 323: Institutional Racism in America\* | Spring | | | SOCA 100 or SOCA 101 |
| SOCA 354: Class, Status, and Power | Fall | | | SOCA 100 or SOCA 101 |
| SOCA 355: Urbanism and Urbanization | Spring | | | SOCA 100 or SOCA 101 |
| SOCA 376: Public Health | Spring | | | SOCA 100 or SOCA 101 |

## OTHER ADDITIONAL ELECTIVE COURSES – 21 CREDITS

ADDITIONAL ELECTIVES IN SOCIOLOGY - 12 credits must be taken in addition to the sociology courses already taken in the core and in the content electives (200-499).

OTHER ADDITIONAL ELECTIVES – 9 credits in other elective courses can be any other UW-Parkside course.

Of the 21 additional credits:

  \* 12 credits must be taken from the Sociology Department

  \* 9 credits may be taken from any department

  \* **9 credits MUST BE at 300 level or higher**

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| **Additional Elective Courses in Sociology** | **Credits** | **Prerequisites** |
| 1. |  | SOCA 101 |
| 2. |  | SOCA 101 |
| 3. |  | SOCA 101 |
| 4. |  | SOCA 101 |
| **Other Additional Elective Courses** | **Credits** | **Prerequisites** |
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| **TWO-YEAR PLAN--Fall Semester Start** | | |
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|  | FALL SEMESTER | SPRING SEMESTER |
| YEAR 1 | (15 credits)  SOCA 250 (4)  SOCA 295 (2)  SOCA 300 (3)  SOCA Elective (3)  OTHER Elective (3) | (15 credits)  SOCA 248 (3)  SOCA 301 (3)  SOCA Elective (3)  SOCA Elective (3)  OTHER Elective (3) |
| YEAR 2 | (15 credits)  SOCA Elective (3)  SOCA Elective (3)  SOCA Elective (3)  OTHER Elective (3)  OTHER Elective (3) | (15 credits)  SOCA 495 (3)  OTHER Elective (3)  OTHER Elective (3)  OTHER Elective (3)  OTHER Elective (3) |

| **TWO-YEAR PLAN -- Spring Semester Start** | | |
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|  | SPRING SEMESTER | FALL SEMESTER |
| YEAR 1 | (15 credits)  SOCA 248 (3)  SOCA 301 (3)  SOCA Elective (3)  SOCA Elective (3)  SOCA Elective (3) | (15 credits)  SOCA 250 (4)  SOCA 295 (2)  SOCA 300 (3)  SOCA 301 (3)  SOCA Elective (3) |
| YEAR 2 | (15 credits)  SOCA 495 (3)  SOCA Elective (3)  SOCA Elective (3)  OTHER Elective (3)  OTHER Elective (3) | (15 credits)  OTHER Elective (3)  OTHER Elective (3)  OTHER Elective (3)  OTHER Elective (3)  OTHER Elective (3) |